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PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALCOCK, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, London Street, E.C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 38, Cornhill. GORDON & GOSNOLD, 1, Leadenhall Street, E.C. BATES & CO., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMUEL DRAGON & Co., 150 & 151, Leadenhall Street, E.C. AMHERST PRINCE & Co., 30, Rue Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK.—ANDREW WING, 21, Park Row. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOSNOLD, Melbourne and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—BEAR & BLACK, San Francisco. SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.—SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore. O. HEINZEL & Co., Manila. CHINA.—MACAO, F. A. DE CRUZ, Succe. Quaresima & Co., Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLSON & Co., Foochow, HENDRICK & Co., Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, and KELLIE & Co., LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLIE & Co.

Banks.

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1. or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may, at their option, transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 7, 1885.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$7,500,000
RESERVE FUND, \$4,500,000
RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION, \$500,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS, \$7,500,000

COUNT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman.—Hon. F. D. SASSOON.
Deputy Chairman.—A. McIVER, Esq.
C. D. BROMLEY, Esq.
H. D. DALRYMPLE, Esq.
M. GOSNOLD, Esq.
A. P. McEWEN, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong.—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

Shanghai.—SWEN CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON.—BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China, and Japan.

W. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £2,000,000
PAID-UP, £500,000

REGISTERED OFFICE.

40, THE ARCADE, LONDON.

BRANCHES.

In India, China, Japan, and the Colonies.

THE Bank receives Money on Deposit, buys and sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.

CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION PURSUED ON ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.

H. A. HERBERT, Manager.

Hongkong, July 4, 1885.

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, at current rates.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, November 5, 1885.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

M. R. L. JUEDELL has been Admitted a PARTNER in our Firm in Hongkong and PAKHOI from this date.

A. SCHOMBURG & Co.

Hoihow 1st January, 1886.

NOTICE.

WE Have authorised Mr. FRANK ERNEST NICHOL to Sign our Firm per Procuration.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, January 4, 1886.

NOTICE.

MR. CECIL WILLIAM HOLLIDAY is Admitted a PARTNER in our Firm from this date.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1886.

NOTICE.

WE Have This Day Admitted MR. SHELLIM EZEKIEL SHELLIM a PARTNER in our Firm in Hongkong and CHINA.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP created by Deed, dated the 7th February, 1879, and made between the Undersigned, WILLIAM STANLEY ADAMS and JAMES STOCKWELL, TERMINATED on the 31st December, 1885. Dated the 7th January, 1886.

W. S. ADAMS.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. FRANCISCO MAMEDE GONSAVES in the Firm of Messrs. ROZARIO & Co., CHINA, ceased on the 31st December last. The BUSINESS of the Firm will be carried on by the Undersigned alone, under the SAME Style as heretofore.

AUGUSTO JOSE ROZARIO.

Hongkong, January 1, 1886.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Mr. FRANCISCO MAMEDE GONSAVES and Mr. AUGUSTO JOSE ROZARIO, as ROZARIO & Co., MERCHANTS, of Hongkong, has This Day been DISSOLVED by Mutual Consent.

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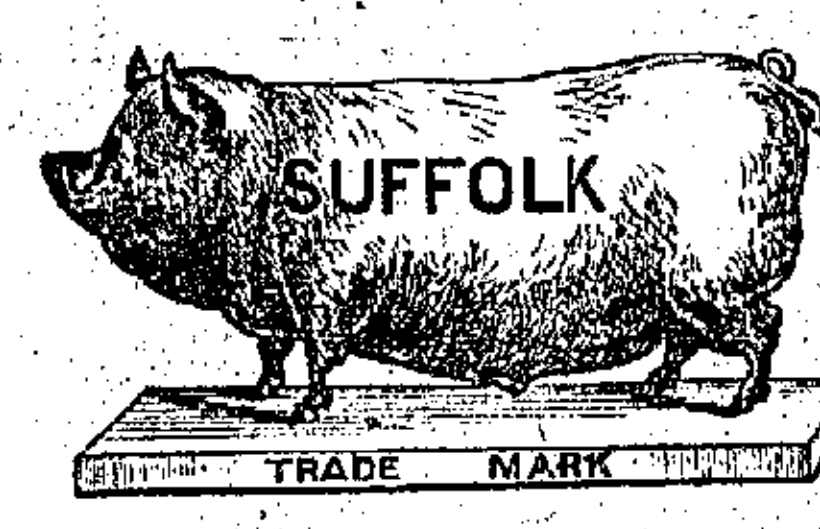
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, November 5, 1885.

Business Notices.

JUST LANDED.

A FRESH SUPPLY OF



EDWARD BEART'S
CELEBRATED HOME CURED
SUFFOLK
HAMS, BACON, &c.

POTTED BEEF AND HAM. PIGS' FEET AND TONGUES. SALTED FOREHANDS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, December 30, 1885.

ROBERT LANG & Co.,

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

Scotch Tweed Suit, \$15.00. While advertising our 'Specialties' we also wish to draw the attention of our Customers to our, now, complete Stock of TWEED SUITINGS, COATINGS, TROUSERS, SERGES, FLANNELS, &c. A large and choice selection of the newest FABRICS of English, Scotch and Continental Manufacture, from medium to the very finest qualities.

Hongkong, October 1, 1885.

W. POWELL & Co.

JUST RECEIVED

POWELL'S PATENT WOVEN

TABLE LINEN in every width. DINNER NAPKINS washed and hemmed ready for use.

TOILETS and Bath Blankets. DUSTERS and Kitchen Cloths. FLOOR OIL CLOTHS and MATTINGS. HEARTH RUGS in various sizes. TRAVELLING TRUNKS and Boxes. New Patterns in BEDROOM WARE.

Good assortment of Jugs and FAUCET GLASS WARE.

SOLE AGENTS IN HONGKONG FOR ROSENKRANZ'S CELEBRATED PIANOS

W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, January 8, 1886.

Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, BILLIARD and SMOKE ROOMS.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE, Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

KELLY & WALSH, LD.,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

15,000 VOLUMES OF

CHEAP & LIGHT LITERATURE.

CATALOGUES ON APPLICATION.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 4, 1886.

Intimations.

WANTED.

A Situation as SHIPPING CLERK by a Portuguese, who has been lately in CHARGE of a large SHIPPING DEPARTMENT in a Mercantile House. Good References and Testimonials.

Apply to BATAVIA, c/o Poste Restante, Amoy.

30th December, 1885.

THE SAN FRANCISCO CORDAGE COMPANY.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

FOR SALE.

PORE MANILA and SISAL ROPES in Coils, from 6 Thread to 8 inches.

6 to 12 Thread MANILA, 12 Cents per lb. 14 inch to 8 inches " 11 " "

Apply at the GODOWNS, No. 13, Praya Central.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885.

Intimations.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

DEBENTURE LOAN FOR \$300,000.

COUPONS for INTEREST falling due on 31st December, 1885, will be Paid on presentation at the Office of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Hongkong, and after that date.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885.

NOTICE.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG, DENTIST, having been INVITED by RESIDENCES at SWATOW, to make a professional visit, intends being ABSENT from the 6th to 12th January. He respectfully requests his Friends who may urgently require his Services to attend at his Office before that date. Letters addressed to No. 2, DUNDALL STREET, during his absence, will receive immediate attention on his return. (Next Door to ORIENTAL BANK).

2, Dundall Street, Hongkong, January 6, 1886.

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

Is authorised by the CHINA MERCHANTS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, ACTING UNDER AUTHORITY from

HIS EXCELLENCY LI HUNG CHANG, VICE-ROY OF CHINA AND SUPERINTENDENT OF TRADE FOR THE NORTHERN PORTS OF CHINA,

To issue

Debentures for \$300,000.

Bearing Interest at 7 Per Cent.

Secured by

I.—Freehold and Leasehold Property at the Port of Hongkong, Macao, Kiu-tang, Wuhu, Chinkiang, Hankow, Ichang, Ningpo and Tientsin:

Estimated Value, Tls. 234,000 @ 4/6 = £ 52,650

II.—Freehold and Leasehold Property at Shanghai:

Estimated Value, Tls. 1,146,000

Less 1st Mortgage, Tls. 300,000

Tls. 846,000 @ 4/6 = £190,350

III.—Twenty-two Steamers, aggregating 35,237 tons measurement, and valued in August, 1885, by C. G. WARDROBE, Esq., Lloyd's Surveyor, and Captain J. B. BARTON, Surveyor, at £1,170,848. @ 4/6 = £490,465

£733,465

THE LANDED-PROPERTY is Mortgaged to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at Shanghai, and the Title Deeds and Documents are held in trust for the Debenture holders by the said Corporation.

THE STEAMERS, which are under the Chinese flag, are registered to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation in trust, and Bills of Sale are deposited with the Bank for account of the Debenture-holders.

THE CHINA MERCHANTS STEAM NAVIGATION CO. are under obligation to keep up an Insurance Account, under which their Fleet is covered against loss. The funds of the Insurance Account are kept with the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, and the Company guarantees that the amount will at no time be less than Tls. 200,000.

DEBENTURES will be for the sum of 2100 each, and payable to bearer, and will be under the seal of the China Merchants Steam Navigation Co.

INTEREST will be at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, commencing from the 15th January 1886. The first payment of Interest will be on the 1st day of March 1886, and thereafter quarterly as per schedule annexed.

INTEREST AND DRAWN DEBENTURES will be payable at any of the offices of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at the rate current for demand Bills on London.

THE DEBENTURES will be redeemed at par by instalments, as per schedule annexed.

DRAWINGS will take place in January and July in each year in the presence of an Officer of the Bank.

With reference to the foregoing—Tenders will be received for the Debentures at the offices of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, at Hongkong and Shanghai until 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 12th January 1886, when the Tenders will be opened. Payments for any Debentures allotted will be received in Shanghai, Sycee at the rate of exchange of 4/8 per Tael. And the equivalent of same in Hongkong at exchange of 72½ taels per 100 Dollars.

No Tenders will be entertained under £105 for each Debenture.

A Deposit of 10 per cent. upon the amount tendered must accompany each application.

The balance of the amount allotted must be paid on or before the 20th January 1886, when Debentures will be exchanged for Allotment Letters.

Forms of Application can be obtained of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Hongkong and Shanghai.

Schedule of Instalments and Payments of Interest.

Date. Instalments. Interest at 7%.

March 1, 1886, £ 2,589 0 10

June 1, " 5,293 2 10

September 1, " 5,293 2 10

December 1, 1887, 11,000 5,293 2 10

June 1, " 5,099 1 4

September 1, " 5,099 1 4

December 1, " 4,746 19 2

March 1, 1888, 17,000 4,746 19 2

June 1, " 4,493 3 6

September 1, " 4,493 3 6

December 1, " 4,153 11 10

March 1, 1889, 17,000 4,153 11 10

June 1, " 3,999 5 11

September 1, " 3,999 5 11

December 1, " 3,560 4 4

March 1, 1890, 17,000 3,521 1 11

June 1, " 3,293 9 10

September 1, " 3,293 9 10

December 1, " 2,960 17 0

March 1, 1891, 17,000 2,934 4 10

June 1, " 2,693 10 0

September 1, " 2,693 10 0

December 1, " 2,373 9 6

March 1, 1892, 17,000 2,373 9 6

June 1, " 2,092 12 4

September 1, " 2,092 12 4

December 1, " 1,780 2 2

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.
H. HAVE JUST LANDED.
THE FOLLOWING
STORES.

Yolk, HAMS.
Stilton CHEESE.
Pudding RAISINS (Valencia).
CURRENTS (Patras).
MINCEMEAT.
CHRISTMAS CAKES.
FIGS.
ALMONDS and RAISINS.

Drill NUTS.
Soft-Shell ALMONDS.
Mozz FRUITS.
Crystallized FRUITS.

FRUITS in Syrops.
Imperial PLUMS.
Plum PUDDINGS.
COSAQUES.

CALIFORNIA PRODUCTS.
CONDENSED MILK.
KEROSENE LAMPS.
FAIRBANK'S SOLES.
COOKING STOVES.
PARLOUR STOVES.

THE USUAL ASSORTMENT.

OILMAN'S STORES,

at the

Lowest Possible Prices

FOR CASH.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.

Hongkong, December 1, 1885. 2084

FOR SALE.

COURSE, DISTANCE,

AND AVERAGE SPEED TABLES,

FROM

LONDON, VIA THE SUEZ CANAL,

TO

INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN, &c.,

VARIOUS OTHER TABLES AND NOTES;

BY

W. A. GULLAND.

To be obtained at the

"CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.

Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

FALCONER & Co.

Hongkong, September 2, 1884. 1476

Intimations.

NOTICE.

FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF CUSTOMERS, the Productions of the "CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED," can henceforward be obtained by RETAIL, FOR CASH, at No. 3, PRINCE STREET, at the same prices as at the REFINERY, or Retail Orders will be delivered at addresses in town on applicants forwarding their Monthly Requirements in writing direct to the REFINERY at East Point.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, July 27, 1885. 1262

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are

respectfully informed that, if upon

their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of

the Company's FOREMEN should be at

hand, orders for the said Foremen, on the

Head Office, No. 14, PRINCE STREET, will

be received and acted upon.

In the Event of Complaints being found

necessary, Communication with the Under-

secretary is requested, when immediate steps

will be taken to rectify the cause of dis-

satisfaction.

D. GILLIES,
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 25, 1885. 1468

In the Matter of the Estate of the late

WILLIAM CATHARINE SYDEN,

Master of the S.S. "Greyhound."

Intimations.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

Estate of WILLIAM NICHOLAS DEVILLE, late Captain of S.S. "Hemlock," Decedent.

THE OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATOR requests that all CLAIMS against the above Estate be sent in without delay.

Dated this 5th day of January, 1886. 39

GRIFFITH'S

NEW VIEWS OF HONGKONG.

NOW READY.

1, DUDDELL STREET.

GRIFFITH & Co.,

MANUFACTURERS

OF THE

LONDON ERATED WATERS,

1, DUDDELL STREET,

Continue to Supply:

SODA WATER, LEMONADE,

TONIC, GINGERALE,

SELTZER, RASPBERRYADE,

SARAFAPILLA, &c., &c., &c.

At the same Moderate Charges.

Hongkong, June 9, 1885. 967

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

Chromometer, Watch & Clock Makers,

Jewellers, Gold & Silverware.

AUTOMATIC SCIENTIFIC AND

METEOROLOGICAL

INSTRUMENTS.

VOYAGEUR'S CELEBRATED

BINOULARS AND TELESCOPES.

RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES.

ADMIRALTY AND EMERALD CHARTS.

NAUTICAL BOOKS.

English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

Christofide & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY,

in great variety.

DIAMONDS

DIAMOND JEWELLERY,

A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON

PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742

DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG,

(FORMERLY ARTIFICER APPRENTICE AND LATHE-TRY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.)

At the urgent request of his European

and American Patients and friends,

has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly oc-

cupied by Dr. ROGERS,

No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families.

Sole Address:

2, DUDDELL STREET,

(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 65

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s

PIERS AND GODOWNS,

WEST POINT.

THESE are now in Working Order—

STAMERS are BERTHED at the Wharf,

and CARGO RECEIVED and STORED at Cheap

Rates.

The GODOWNS are two storied, dry,

and well suited for the STORAGE of

SILK, COTTON and WOOLLEN PIECE GOODS,

as well as GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL,

CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

THE ZARZUELA SPANISH OPERA

COMPANY

THIS EVENING.

—TUESDAY, the 12th January, 1886.

FIRST SUBSCRIPTION NIGHT OF

TWELVE PERFORMANCES.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle or Stalls, Front Seats—

Single Ticket for 12 nights...\$20.

Dress Circle or Stalls, Front Seats—

Family Ticket (admit 5) for 12 nights...\$60.

Dress Circle or Stalls, Front Seats, } 2

1 night...\$1.

Back Seats, 1 night...\$1.

Seats can be booked at Messrs. KELLY &

WALSH, LIMITED.

For further Particulars see Programme.

Hongkong, January 12, 1886. 76

THEATRE ROYAL,

CITY HALL.

SATURDAY,

16th January, 1886.

THE 'SNOWDROPS'

beg to announce their

THIRD GRAND ETHIOPIAN DRAW-

ING-ROOM ENTERTAINMENT,

COMMENCING AT 9 P.M.

Tickets may be obtained and Seats secured

at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH's, on and after

Wednesday, 13th Instant.

Prices of Admission:

Dress Circle and Stalls...\$2.

Back Seats...\$1.

N.B.—The proceeds of this Entertainment

will be devoted to Local Charity.

Hongkong, January 9, 1886. 67

WINTER TIME TABLE.

THE KOWLOON FERRY.

STEAM-LAUNCH

MORNING STAR

RUN DAILY as a FERRY BOAT between

Pedder's Wharf and Tsim-Tai-Tai at the

following hours—This Time Table will

take effect from the 20th OCTOBER, 1885.

WEEK DAYS. SUNDAYS.

Leave Kowloon. Leave Tsim-Tai-Tai. Leave Kowloon. Leave Tsim-Tai-Tai.

6.15 A.M. 7.15 A.M. 6.15 A.M. 7.15 A.M.

8.00 " 8.00 " 7.30 " 8.00 "

8.50 " 9.00 " 9.00 " 10.15 "

9.40 " 10.15 " 11.00 " 11.00 "

10.45 " 12.30 " 12.30 " 1.00 P.M.

12.45 P.M. 1.00 " 1.30 " 2.00 "

1.30 " 2.00 " 2.30 " 3.00 "

2.30 " 3.00 " 3.30 " 4.00 "

4.15 " 4.30 " 4.50 " 5.15 "

4.50 " 5.15 " 5.35 " 5.45 "

5.25 " 5.40 " 6.15 " 7.00 "

7.00 " 7.00 " 7.00 " 7.00 "

* There will be no Launch on Monday

and Friday, on account of coaling.

The above Time Table will be strictly

adhered to, except under unavoidable cir-

cumstances. In case of stress of weather,

due notice will be given of any stoppages.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship

Captain G. HEVERHART,

will be despatched for the

above Port TO-MORROW, the 13th Inst.,

at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, January 12, 1886. 83

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK.

The Company's Steamship

Mongkut,

Capt. P. H. Lorr, will be

despatched for the above

Ports on FRIDAY, the 15th Instant, at

Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

YUEN FAT HONG,

Agents.

Hongkong, January 12, 1886. 86

FOR ROTTERDAM AND LONDON,

VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship

De Bay,

Captain LEE, will be

despatched for the above

Ports on or about the 16th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSEN & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, January 12, 1886. 84

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY,

the 15th January, 1886, at 2 p.m., at his

Sales Rooms, Queen's Road.

AN ASSORTMENT OF

JAPANESE WARE,

comprising—

KANSA, IMARY, KIOTO, TOKIO and SA-

SUNA VASES, JARS, BOWLS, PLATES, CHA-

DISHEES, TEA and BREAKFAST SETS, ENA-

MELD WARE, GOLD and SILVER INLAID

BRONZES, EMBROIDERED, EMBROIDERED

SCREENS, and KAKEMONOS.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, January 12, 1886. 85

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor

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Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

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Steamers.								
Africa	Brit.	c Ellis	Brit. str.	1500	Dec. 21	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Sydney, &c.	To-morrow
Albany	Brit.	c Porter	Brit. str.	1434	Dec. 24	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Shanghai	To-day
Andromeda	Brit.	c DeLacour	Fch. str.	300	Jan. 1	Messageries Maritimes	Hobson, &c.	To-morrow
Antoon	Brit.	c MacLachlan	Brit. str.	1392	Jan. 4	Wielor & Co.	Calcutta	To-morrow
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Dubug	Ger.	c Schultz	Ger. str.	1037	Jan. 3	Melchers & Co.	Amoy	Haiphong
Eberhard	Brit.	c Kueschert	Brit. str.	359	Jan. 2	Wielor & Co.	K'loon Dec
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Fauna	Ger.	c Brock	Ger. str.	862	Jan. 2	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	K'loon Dec
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Independent	Ger.	c Hassenwinkel	Ger. str.	871	Jan. 10	Wielor & Co.	Saigon	To-morrow
Ingraham	Ger.	c Massmann	Ger. str.	804	Nov. 18	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	K'loon Dec
Inland	Brit.	c Hanson	Brit. str.	1418	Jan. 6	P. & O. S. N. Co.	K'loon Dec
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J. B. Newcomb	Brit. bge.	c Newcomb	Brit. bge.	184	Nov. 18	Siemens & Co.
John Currier	Amer. bge.	c Bielen	Amer. bge.	184	Nov. 18	Siemens & Co.	New York
Kale	Brit. bge.	c Roisers	Brit. bge.	682	Dec. 9	Chinese
Lady Howard	Brit. bge.	c Williams	Brit. bge.	682	Dec. 9	Chinese
Letitia Fairfield	Brit. bge.	c Bingsy	Brit. bge.	184	Nov. 18	Siemens & Co.	Honolulu	Cleared
Marguerite	Fren. bge.	c Onnes	Fren. bge.	453	Dec. 21	Carlowitz & Co.	Hamburg
Matthia Davis	Amer. bge.	c Benson	Amer. bge.	832	Jan. 3	Russell & Co.
May	Brit. bge.	c Robb	Brit. bge.	237	Dec. 21	Adamson, Bell & Co.
Mohawk	Brit. bge.	c Orslande	Brit. bge.	708	Nov. 30	Douglas Steamship Co.
N. Gibson	Amer. bge.	c Bailey	Amer. bge.	708	Sept. 16	Russell & Co.
Oboron	Brit. bge.	c Marshall	Brit. bge.	1193	Oct. 19	Russell & Co.
Odin	Norw. bge.	c Lamonsen	Norw. bge.	787	Dec. 7	Carlowitz & Co.	London
Richard Parsons	Amer. bge.	c Thorndike	Amer. bge.	1116	Oct. 22	Order
Santa Filomena	Span. bge.	c Mendiguren	Span. bge.	448	Jan. 2	Order
Socodo	Brit. bge.	c Baikie	Brit. bge.	473	Nov. 26	Borneo Co., Limited
Spartan	Amer. bge.	c H. Cairns	Amer. bge.	713	Dec. 18	Captain
Spinaway	Brit. bge.	c Garrick	Brit. bge.	354	Jan. 22	Captain
Storverson	Russ. bge.	c Sarkis	Russ. bge.	583	Nov. 11	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	New York
Tues Beech	Brit. bge.	c Hall	Brit. bge.	365	Nov. 6	Chinese	Quinhon	Cleared
Undine	Ger. bge.	c Kruse	Ger. bge.	963	Dec. 19	Melchers & Co.
Wandering Jew	Amer. bge.	c Nichols	Amer. bge.	1650	Nov. 30	Captain